IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

TRADE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re the Application of: Nagashisa CHIKAZAWA et al.

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated January 25, 2005 of the Primary Examiner.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

[xx] A petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Final Rejection is filed herewith.

[] A timely response to the Final Rejection has been filed, as provided in 37 C.F.R. 1.113.

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If this Notice of Appeal is not considered to be timely filed, Applicants hereby petition for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-2866, along with any other additional fees that may be required with respect to this Notice.

Respectfully submitted,

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